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Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>Andrei W. Konradi, Michael A. Pleiss, Eugene D. Thorsett, Susan Ashwell, Gregory S. Welmaker, Anthony Kreft, Dimitrios Sarantakis, Darren B. Dressen, Francine S. Grant, Christopher Semko and Ying-Zi Xu for <u>BETA-AMINO ACID DERIVATIVES-- INHIBITORS OF LEUKOCYTE ADHESION MEDIATED BY VLA-4</u>.</u>

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